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U.S. SUPPORT FOR FREEDOM OF ACTION RESOLUTION ADOPTED
AT OAS SAN JOSE MEETING REGARDED BY GOP AS EVIDENCE OF
U.S. WILLINGNESS TO REMOVE IMPEDIMENTS TO IMPROVED U.S.-LA
RELATIONS, AND AS SUCH GREETED HERE WITH RELIEF. U.S.
VOTE IN SAN JOSE HAS HAD POSITIVE, BUT NOT MAJOR, EFFECT IN
OUR BILATERAL RELATIONS. HAD U.S. VOTED AGAINST FREEDOM
OF ACTION RESOLUTION, HOWEVER, US WOULD HAVE BEEN SUBJECTED
TO SHARP CRITICISM HERE. TREATY NEGOTTIATIONS, AS DEPT. WELL
AWARE, OCCUPY NOT JUST CENTER STAGE, BUT CENTER, SIDE AND
WINGS IN U.S.-PANAMANIAN RELATIONSHIP. GOP PERCEPTION OF
U.S. POLICY TOWARDS, AND INTERACTION WITH, LATIN AMERICA
IN GENERAL AND PANAMA IN PARTICULAR IS FOCUSSED
THROUGH PRISM OF OUR READINESS TO CONCLUDE A NEW
CANAL TREATY. FOR PANAMA'S REACTION TO BUNKER'S
FORTHCOMING RETURN SEE REFS B AND C.

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